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Donald L. Walter, President
Don Walter Kitchens
260 Victoria Road,
Youngstown, OH 44515

RE: MUR 5262

Dear Mr. Walter:

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on April 25, 2002, concerning Tim Ryan for Congress (MUR 5262, formerly MUR 5266). The Commission found that there was reason to believe that Tim Ryan, Tim Ryan for Congress and Michael Fraioli, Treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(f), a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"). The Commission also found that there was reason to believe that Dennis Rossi violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1)(A) and (a)(3) of the Act.

On November 24, 2004, a conciliation agreement signed by counsel for Tim Ryan, Tim Ryan for Congress and Michael Fraioli, Treasurer, was accepted by the Commission. On October 25, 2004, a conciliation agreement signed by counsel for Mr. Rossi was accepted by the Commission.

Accordingly, the Commission closed the file in this matter on November 24, 2004. Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files*, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the agreements with the Respondents are enclosed for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Margaret J. Toalson".

Margaret J. Toalson
Attorney

Enclosures
Conciliation Agreements

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